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Mr. George A. Carroll
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Dear George,

Some time ago you asked us to provide some ideas and points the Vice President might incorporate in a speech on Vietnam, indicating that the theme of this speech would be to explain what has been accomplished in the last 18 months and what remains to be done. In effect, as we understood you, you wanted a balance sheet which would be realistic but no more gloomy than the facts warranted.

In response to your request, I am enclosing the attached outline. We are passing this informally for you to use however you see fit and hope it will be of some help. If there is anything further we can do for the Vice President please let us know.

Sincerely yours,

George A. Carver, Jr.
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Attachment